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Thomas Neltner
National Center for Healthy Housing, Inc.
10320 Little Patuxent Parkway, Suite 500
Columbia, MD 21044

Dear Mr. Neltner:

Re: Interim Course Accreditation for the National Center for Healthy Housing, Inc. Lead-Based Paint Initial Renovator (English), Initial Renovator (Spanish), Renovator Refresher (English), Renovator Refresher (Spanish), E-Learning Initial Renovator (English), and Initial Dust Sampling Technician (English) Courses

The Utah Division of Air Quality (DAQ) Lead-Based Paint (LBP) Program has reviewed course materials submitted by the National Center for Healthy Housing, Inc. (NCHH) dated March 12, 2010. NCHH has provided the aforementioned materials to the DAQ for course review under Utah Administrative Code (UAC) R307-842-1, Accreditation of training programs: target housing and child-occupied facilities.

The DAQ has completed a desk audit of the LBP training provider course materials submitted by NCHH and hereby grants interim course accreditation for the NCHH Initial Renovator (English), Initial Renovator (Spanish), Renovator Refresher (English), Renovator Refresher (Spanish), E-Learning Initial Renovator (English), and Initial Dust Sampling Technician (English) courses through May 8, 2010. The conditions necessary for final course accreditation are as follows:

1. Apply for course accreditation using the DAQ Lead-Based Paint Application For Course Accreditation,
2. Include that necessary fees for application review or, if applying as a nonprofit organization, provide a copy of an official IRS letter confirming nonprofit status,
3. Provide advance notice to the Executive Secretary when the above referenced courses are offered in Utah. Allow a representative of the Executive Secretary to do an on-site audit of the training courses to verify the contents found in the application for course accreditation as allowed by UAC R307-842 and Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations (40 CFR) 745.225(c)(12), and,

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4. The DAQ audit verifies that the above referenced courses taught by NCHH meets the minimum requirements outlined in UAC R307-842 and 40 CFR 745.225.

The DAQ will provide NCHH with the findings of our on-site course audits after the NCHH Initial Renovator (English), Initial Renovator (Spanish), Renovator Refresher (English), Renovator Refresher (Spanish), E-Learning Initial Renovator (English), and Initial Dust Sampling Technician (English) courses are taught and reviewed by a representative of the Executive Secretary.

Please be aware that this interim approval expires on May 8, 2010. If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Greg Mortensen at (801) 536-4018 or at gmortensen@utah.gov.

Sincerely,



M. Cheryl Heying, Executive Secretary
Utah Air Quality Board

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